

## DR. STANLEY IS HAILED UP IN CITY COURT

Fashionable Fifth Avenue Physician Is Rebuked by Judge Conlin and Ordered to Submit to Immediate Examination in Supplementary Proceedings.

### DIDN'T PAY A "DISCREET ADVERTISING" BILL.

Denied Knowledge of Suit, but Papers Showed Differently—Young Woman Put in His Office to Collect Money Met with Indifferent Success.

Dignified and handsome, Dr. Kirke Stanley, with his flowing mustache and fingered Van Dyke whiskers, was today in the City Court listening to a severe arraignment from the bench.

The doctor had himself only to thank for the judicial "call down," for he had been trying to play "possum" with Judge Louis J. Conlin and Lawyer T. K. Kepler, who had for days been endeavoring to corral the physician to examine him in supplementary proceedings.

Although judgment for \$700 had been entered and he had received several visits from Deputy Sheriff Speden, and a young woman had been installed in his handsomely appointed office, No. 489 Fifth avenue, Dr. Kirke Stanley appeared in the Court-House to-day and pleaded with an innocence of expression really baby-like that he didn't know a thing about the proceedings against him.

He was ushered at once into Judge Conlin's private chambers.

Said He Never Was Served.

"I have never received notice of any judgment or any litigation of this character," Dr. Stanley told the Judge.

Thereupon His Honor decided to go upon the bench and investigate in open court. He was so impressed with the dignified and handsome appearance of the Fifth avenue physician that he would hear him in open court. Meanwhile the papers were sent for.

"What's this?" exclaimed the Judge. "Here is the judgment notice of service and a docket order. What do you mean, sir, by making such statements? These papers do not lie."

The doctor was standing at the rail and was now quite discomfited.

"Go at once and be examined. I shall give you no time," exclaimed the Judge.

"Here, Mr. Kepler," he added, shoving the papers across the bench. "I authorize you to examine this man in supplementary proceedings at once, and the tall, handsome doctor followed the little lawyer as meek as a lamb into one of the examination rooms.

Impressed Fifth Avenue.

Dr. Kirke Stanley has recently impressed Fifth Avenue with his "cures." He acquired offices at No. 489 Fifth avenue a year ago, and at once made play for a bon-ton clientele. He is said to have originally come from Michigan.

Well dressed, well groomed and well poised, he made friends rapidly, and his intimates confided that he had patients among the "real swell" people. He even mentioned the name of Mrs. Huntington—presumably Mrs. Collis P. Huntington, and her name appears in the morning papers—simply, however, as an illustration of the success Dr. Stanley had already achieved. He is quoted in a check for \$700 from Mrs. Huntington for services rendered.

The physician's appearance in court was the direct result of his refusal or neglect to pay a bill of nearly \$800 for "judicious and discreet" advertising which he incurred through Jules B. Storms, the well-known advertising agent. This was revealed by the spring.

When Dr. Stanley failed to pay the bill he was sued and judgment obtained. As a compromise, however, he agreed to allow a representative of Mr. Storms to take charge of his daily finances, saying that his receipts amounted to \$80 or \$100 a day. Accordingly Miss Alice L. Abel, of No. 29 East 72nd street, was established in the doctor's suite of offices and designated conveniently his "cashier."

A Daily Deduction.

It was agreed, so that precipitate action would not be taken by the deputy sheriff, that Miss Abel would represent the "other side" and that daily would be deducted from the receipts until the amount of the advertising bill was paid, with costs.

Miss Abel was duly installed, but the doctor grabbed the mail each morning, affirms, and would not allow her to open it, although she knew there were money and checks in the mail. But incidental fees came her way during the doctor's absences from his office, and advertising creditor.

During the one week that Miss Abel held her ground in the face of the doctor's discouraging "forget," she says in her affidavit, "I forgot," she said something to the effect that if Miss Abel would remove her side she would profit handsomely.

Despite the doctor's charming manner and grace, Miss Abel remained loyal to her trust but abdicated her position at the end of the week. Thereupon it was determined to bring the doctor into court and examine him in supplementary proceedings.

MORE GOLD GOING ABROAD.

Banking Firm Enroute \$1,500,000 for shipment to Paris.

The gold amounting to \$1,500,000 has been engaged for export to Paris to-morrow.

Leading French bank will ship \$1,000,000 and Morgan, Laing & Company \$500,000.

## DOCK LEASES HERE EASY, TO SEE PEOPLE

Mrs. Burke, Wife of the Former Secretary of the Board, Admits on Witness Stand that She Got Some Good Bargains from the City.

### CONTRACTOR TELLS OF HIS SAD EXPERIENCES.

Wrote to a Commissioner About Leasing a Pier and Was Visited a Few Days Later by a Man Who Asked "What It Was Worth."

An interesting and instructive witness in the investigation into the doings of the Cram-Murphy-Meyer Dock Board to-day was Mrs. William H. Burke, the wife of the former Dock Board Secretary. Her testimony went to show that Mr. Burke, in the dying days of the Tammany administration, did not neglect to provide for his family.

The records of the Dock Board show that in December, 1901, the Department of Docks leased a stretch of beach on the North River at the foot of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to one Monahan for twenty years at \$300 a year, the lease to take effect Jan. 1, 1902. This stretch of beach is now occupied by bath houses owned by Mrs. Burke.

She testified to-day that she put \$7,000 into the bath-house project. This, she warred, she said, by two mortgages, one on a coal yard, owned by her, at One Hundred and Fifth street and the East River, the other on a place in the country. Mrs. Burke admitted when questioned that she had shared that her husband's influence got the lease of the beach property for Monahan.

Another Lessee Her Bookkeeper.

She was asked concerning Joseph Egan, to whom dock leases were granted frequently, and said that he worked for two years in her coal yard as a bookkeeper at \$15 a week. Assistant District Attorney Clarke got other information from Mrs. Burke, which, he says, is valuable.

Burke herself was put on the stand and questioned about certain Dock Board records showing transactions in which he was interested. He could not remember the circumstances surrounding the writing of the records, although his name was signed to them as secretary of the board.

Mr. Clarke believes that he has learned the identity of E. J. Gaffney, treasurer of the New York Contracting and Trucking Company, which is owned by the Murphy and Gaffney. E. J. Gaffney, according to Mr. Clarke, is none other than the wife of Elizabeth Irene Gaffney, the wife of Alderman Gaffney, a subpoena was issued for her to-day, but the man who went to serve it was told that Mrs. Gaffney had gone out of town for the summer.

"How Much Is It Worth?"

A contractor, whose name has not been divulged, testified in the hearing to-day that he had tried several times to get pier leases without success, and at last wrote to one of the Dock Commissioners a few days since, when he was visited by a man who described himself as a very close friend of the Commissioner to whom the letter was written. "If you want a pier," the contractor testified the man said, "how much is it worth to you?"

The contractor told Mr. Clarke that he promised to put the man by the name of the Commissioner's friend on the payroll at \$1,000 a year, with the understanding that the man would do the work, but the negotiations fell through. "The wile this investigation gets," said Mr. Clarke, "the closer it comes to the man higher up."

## LONDON'S LORD MAYOR TOASTS ROOSEVELT

Tells American Naval Officers President's Harmonizing Efforts Will Benefit Civilization of World.

LONDON, July 8.—Rear-Admiral Cotton, of the United States battleship Kearsarge, and the other American officers who are to attend to-night's state ball at Buckingham Palace arrived in London this afternoon, accompanied by Rear-Admiral Milne, the representative of King Edward, and took up quarters at various hotels as guests of the nation. Subsequently in full uniform they paid a round of official visits.

The 1,500 American officers and men remaining at Portsmouth are being entertained in various ways, including a luncheon at the Volunteer Rifle Hall, at which the Mayor presided. In toasting King Edward the Mayor said he believed that the friendship and good will between Great Britain and other countries were very much appreciated by the United States. Toasting President Roosevelt the Mayor said:

"He is held here in the highest esteem and regard. The President labors most ardently for the welfare of the United States and further, he is actuated by a sincere desire to strengthen the friendship and good will between the two countries."

On this side of the Atlantic, starting with you, representatives of the great nation across the sea, a common heritage and a common name language honor your President. The grand work in which he is engaged and the noble efforts he is making are conducive to the best interests of the United States and Great Britain, but must advance the cause of civilization, freedom and justice for the world.

The final toast was to the United States navy. In which the Mayor cordially welcomed the visit of the United States European squadron and the further proof of the friendly feeling of President Roosevelt.

United States Consul Swalm, of Southampton, responded to the toast of "The President of the United States," and Lieutenant Commander Albert N. Wood, of the San Francisco, responded to the toast of "The United States Navy."

Altogether eight hundred Americans were guests at the luncheon.

## TWO DROP DEAD AND MANY PROSTRATED BY HEAT WAVE

Woman Expires Suddenly in "L" Train, Claspings in Her Arms Bundles of Presents for the Grandchildren She Was Going to Visit.

THE TEMPERATURE.	
3 A. M.	70
6 A. M.	70
9 A. M.	78
10 A. M.	81
11 A. M.	84
12 M.	85
2 P. M.	85
3 P. M.	86
4 P. M.	87

**The Dead.**

ADAMS, ANNIE, two years old, of No. 223 East One Hundred and Seventh street.

SCHULTZ, CHARLOTTE, sixty years old, of No. 125 East 73d street.

FITZPATRICK, JOHN, no home; St. Catherine's Hospital.

**Prostrations.**

HART, THOMAS, No. 2 James Slip, Hudson Street Hospital.

KIESLING, EDWARD, No. 2 Second avenue, driven insane by heat, Bellevue Hospital.

MEISECK, CLARA, No. 155 Hamburg avenue, Brooklyn; Homeopathic Hospital.

NOONAN, JAMES, No. 534 West Forty-fourth street, Roosevelt Hospital.

SEEL, KATE, No. 210 East Eighty-eighth street, Presbyterian Hospital.

SEMILE, JOHN, No. 24 East Thirty-eighth street, Bellevue Hospital.

SMITH, WILLIAM, twenty-seven years old, living at boarding-house, corner Washington and West streets; Roosevelt Hospital.

Two deaths and many prostrations followed to-day in the wake of the heat wave that holds the city in its withering grip. One of the victims was a

child of two years, the other a woman of sixty years.

Mrs. Charlotte Schultz was the first to succumb to the heat. She dropped dead in a Second avenue "L" train at First street.

Dr. Boyle, of Bellevue Hospital, said that death was caused by heart disease which was caused by heat disease brought on by her exertions in the high temperature.

Mrs. Schultz had her arms full of presents for her little grandchildren, whom she was to join at Mount Kisco. Her son William sent a friend, Henry Tice, along with Mrs. Schultz to see that she got her train safely, but she would not allow the man to carry a single one of the bundles.

**Presents for Little One.**

"I'm going to carry them to the little ones myself," she declared. "I've been busy all the morning, hurrying around to buy the 'kinder' these few things to make their grandma welcome."

Mrs. Schultz was in excellent spirits, and aside from her suffering from the heat appeared in good health. The two who got on the train at First street, Mrs. Schultz had hardly sat down, when she fell to the floor, her arms still claspings the precious bundles. She was dead when the train bands and passengers lifted her up.

**Stocks Close With SHOW OF STRENGTH**

Steel, Missouri Pacific, Twin City and St. Paul Lead

Issues in Market that Recovered and Averaged Gains.

With trading almost at a standstill, the stock market closed steady to-day, prices, which had sagged off in the early afternoon, being mixed, but generally averaging small gains.

Rolling factors were as a rule favorable, but speculators were not in a mood for trading and there was lots of time for coasting. The market was Wall street bankers, looking for a solution to the apathy of Westerners, sent a query to Chicago asking whether the business situation there was sound. The reply to this was that conditions were healthy and that no unusual precautions were being exercised and that the stagnation in the New York market was not traceable to Chicago.

The Steel stocks, which were sought at advanced prices in the early session, fell away. Missouri Pacific superceding them as the dominant market factor. Later, however, Steel again formed to the front, and in the final transactions shared attention with the Gould stock and St. Paul.

Buying of Delaware & Lackawanna came from the front, and the accumulation of the issue was carried on by bidding up the stock slowly.

Canadian speculative interests were active in the market and the stocks sought by them showed strength. It was said that Philadelphia capitalists bought all the Twin City Rapid Transit that was offered.

The latter issue continued strong throughout the day and closed with a gain of 2 1/4 per cent. at 100. Missouri Pacific was up 1/2, while St. Paul, Baltimore and Ohio and Reading each gained 3/8.

The industrial closed higher all around. The Steel issues each realized an advance of 1/4 and Amalgamated Copper 1/2. American Sugar was fractionally over, while Tennessee Coal and Iron closed 7/8 up and Leather preferred 1 1/4 per cent. over.

The Erie stocks suffered fractional losses, with the exception of the common, which was up 1/8 per cent. Atchafalaya, Illinois Central, Pennsylvania rights, Southern and Union Pacific were each 1/4 per cent. over.

The local traction closed weak. Brooklyn Rapid Transit was 1/8 under and Metropolitan 1/2, while Manhattan was unchanged. Canadian Pacific gained 5/8 and Norfolk and Western 1/4 per cent.

New York Central after opening up 1/2, at 123 1/8, fell to 123 1/2 and later rallied to 126, was closed at 125 1/8, a Reading second preferred, Rock Island, St. Louis and San Francisco each 1/4 per cent. over.

The total sales of stocks were 174,000 shares and of bonds \$1,112,000.

**The Closing Quotations.**

To-day's highest, lowest and closing prices and net changes from yesterday's closing prices or from last recorded sale are as follows:

Amal. Copper	85 3/4	High, 85 3/4	Net, 3/4
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WEATHER FORECAST.	
Forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. Thursday, for New York City and vicinity: Generally fair, with high temperature to-night and Thursday; light to fresh southwesterly winds.	

**Will Exhume Col. BEST'S BODY TO-DAY**

Essex County (N. J.) Coroner Decides He Will Hold an Autopsy to Discover Cause of Former Millionaire's Death.

**DIED WHILE IN CALIFORNIA.**

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The body of "Col." William Best, once a millionaire railroad builder, was taken out of its grave at Caldwell, N. J., late this afternoon, and the Essex County Coroner will hold an autopsy to discover whether the suspicions of his sons, Alfred M. and Charles Sumner Best, of this city, that he was hurried out of the world in California for purposes of robbery, are well founded or not.

Meantime, Dr. John Donald Woods and the woman who was known in California as his widowed sister, Mrs. Alice Cloy Wood, and the five-year-old child, Kathleen, who were registered at the Hotel Lawrence, Atlantic City, as "J. D. Woods and family," have departed from Atlantic City, having beaten the Bests before a magistrate in that city, where they were discharged on the charge of having in their possession certain articles belonging to Col. Best, who died in their house in San Rafael, Cal., where he was a guest, April 6.

Col. Best went West two years ago at the age of sixty to "begin life over again." He had been worth a million-made in building railroads in the South. He built one road from end to end of North Carolina, and there is a town on the line of that road bearing his name, Best's. He lost his million in the same enterprise twenty years ago. He had been the holder of rich receiverships and reorganizations, including the Bankers and Merchants' Telegraph Company, the National Trust Company and one of the most prosperous of the city's savings banks. He lived in princely style at Caldwell, where he now lies buried.

**BULLS MADE GAINS IN COTTON MARKET**

But Bears Fought Vigorously and Cut Advances that Were Scored and Held for a Time Under Adverse Conditions.

Cotton was easy in the market during the early trading to-day, with the nearby options showing gains.

When cotton brokers received the news from Liverpool before the local market opened that there was a break in futures the bears were happy. Spot cotton being also easier, it was generally predicted that there would be a big decline in the local market again to-day. Some brokers even went so far as to look for a pause in the opening.

To the surprise of every one the local market did not respond in sympathy with foreign trading. The reason apparently was that later Liverpool rallied and the business was only moderate. After the hour of trading then steady.

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50 Malleable Iron Beds, like illustration, heavy brass rails and extended foot rail; has 5 Coats of French baked enamel; 3 ft. 6 in. and 4 ft. size; value \$8.75; sale price.....



Golden Oak or Mahogany Finished Morris Chairs, like illustration, fine spring seat, reversible figured cushions, solid brass ratchet and rod; worth \$5.30; special for to-morrow only.....



Quartered Oak Sideboards, like illustration, French plate mirror, handsome carved top and front, highly finished; value \$18.98; sale price.....

100 Combination Hair Mattresses, covered in heavy striped ticking, in one or two parts, to fit any size bed; just the mattress for summer hotels and boarding houses; regular price \$5.49; sale price, all sizes.....

## Rugs, Matting and Linoleum Reduced.

\$14.50 All-Wool Brussels Rugs at \$10.00.

75 Sandford's All-Wool Brussels Rugs, 10.6 ft. long, 9 ft. wide, Oriental, floral and Persian patterns, every color represented, suitable for parlor, sitting-room or library; actual value \$14.50; special at.....

600 All-Wool Smyrna Rugs, 5 ft. by 2.6 ft. wide, reversible and all-wood knotted fringe, excellent assortment to choose from; value \$2.50; special at.....

35 Extra Large Dining-Room Rugs, 15 ft. long and 12 ft. wide, good, strong, heavy quality, reversible; value \$9.00, at.....

50 Hand-Made Japanese Rugs, 15 ft. long and 9 ft. wide, rich Persian patterns, regular price \$15.00; sale price.....

Our regular \$10.00 and \$11.00 Matting, finest long straw, all linen warp, reversible rich patterns, in red, green and blue, 40 yards to the roll, at.....

Our regular \$7.50 China Matting, extra heavy quality, that give satisfaction for hard usage; in all colors; value \$7.50; sale for \$3.98 per roll of 40 yards, or, yard.....

60c. Gork Linoleum, 33c. 2 yards wide, in a splendid selection of patterns, and worth 60c. per square yard. We cannot fill mail orders, and must positively refuse to sell to dealers. At, per square yard.....

## Basement Specials of Great Importance.



Blue Flame Cook Stove, 2 burners, The "Sunshine," brass oil tank with very wide top; val. \$4.29

Water Coolers, in assorted colors and decorations, galvanized iron tank and nickel plated faucets; 2 gal. long size.....

Nursery Refrigerators for preserving milk, butter and eggs. The ice chamber will hold 12 lbs. of ice. Enamel tank for holding 12 lbs. water. No. 1 size.....



Hardwood Refrigerators, thoroughly kiln-dried ash, galvanized shelves, solid bronze trimmings, metal lining, ice capacity 30 lbs., insulation best known; reg. \$7.98.....

Hardwood Refrigerators, same as above, with ice capacity of 40 lbs., reg. \$9.50.....



Gas Stove, 2 burner, with patent lift-up burners; can be cleaned; burns a bright blue flame; includes 6 ft. of tubing; \$1.75; special.....

Nickel-Plated Gas Stove, with cleanable burners, solid body and high legs.....

Gas Ovens, made of heavy sheet iron and doubled wall; worth \$1.98; good bakers.....

## PARKS HOLDS UP BUILDING PEACE

Indicted Delegate of House-smiths' Union Now the Only Obstacle to a General Resumption of Work.

Though the various unions involved in the big building tie-up are holding meetings all over the city to-day for the purpose of signing and ratifying the peace agreement formulated by the employers and labor leaders, the action is being taken on the part of the House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union, in which Sam Parks, the delegate indicted on extortion charges, is a power.

There was no representative of the House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union present at the meeting on Friday night at which the peace agreement was approved. It was thought, however, that when all the other unions got in line the House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union would soon desert its antagonistic stand.

Therefore there was considerable disappointment in labor circles to-day when it was learned that the leaders of this powerful union had declared that they would work only for the Fuller Construction Company. The House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union practically has the whip hand in the matter, for the structural iron work cannot be completed without its aid.

As the work of the other unions comes after the structural iron work their members would necessarily be compelled to remain idle until the structural ironworkers in the House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union had finished their part of the job.

In view of the situation a strenuous effort will be made to-day to enlist the leaders in the House-smiths and Bridgemen's Union in the ranks of those in favor of the peace agreement, and if this is done work will be begun on Monday all over the city.

**CUBANS TRY TO DEFEAT TREATY.**

Effort to Postpone Ratification of Naval Stations Agreement Will Probably Fail.

HAVANA, July 8.—The Senate Committee has decided to submit a report recommending the postponement of the ratification of the naval stations treaty. The indications are that it will be defeated and that the treaty will be ratified.

**STOCKS STRONG IN LONDON.**

Money Abundant in the Market and Americans Share Good Tone.

American railway shares displayed a hardening tone on the London Exchange to-day, while the market generally was strong, being favored by an abundance of money. The Transvaal loan was at a premium of 1 1/2 per cent.

The prices for Americans were: Anaconda, 4 3/8; Atchafalaya, 70 3/8; Canadian, 127 5/8; St. Paul, 135 1/4; Illinois Central, 137; Louisville, 114; New York Central, 120 1/2; Pennsylvania, 84 1/4; Reading, 26 5/8; Southern Pacific, 50 1/2; Union Pacific, 8; United States Steel, 50 1/4